

Local Carnival Date Changed to April The 22nd

The Big Blizzard Has Made It Necessary to Change Date

Owing to the fierce blizzard which struck the town and district last week it has been decided it was not advisable to carry on the carnival on Friday evening of this week as many of the town district citizens would not be able to make the grade. As all want to support the swimming pool carnival the committee decided to postpone the date to April 22nd so that weather conditions should be more favorable.

Remember the date and remind your friends about it.

A good nights program has been arranged and several prizes will be offered to those who get the winning tickets.

At this carnival there will be all kinds of booths, for Bingo, Darts, Juggle Boards, The Big Six, Ring Toss Hoops, Ringing the Live Ducks and many other stunts.

Arrangement is also made for shooting competition in the official shooting range down stairs.

Next door to the carnival hall there will be a big dance of all kinds of new steps and the best music will be provided.

A big deer prize will be given to the lucky hunter. Laidler. This prize will be suitable one for any home.

Keep in mind the date and remember the proceeds are for making a better swimming pool for our kiddies and young people.

Laid lost a Foot

At C. P. R. Station

Dr. Lewis Took The Boy to The Hospital For Amputation

At the C. P. R. Station here last Thursday evening, Walter Laine, an 18 year old lad from Newbrook, Alta., met with a bad accident when he was attempting to catch a freight train. He missed catching the box car and fell beneath the wheel and had his right foot badly crushed.

Dr. Lewis heard of the accident and went over to the station and took the lad to the hospital and assisted Dr. McCharles to amputate the lads foot.

The young mans condition was serious for a time but now he is progressing nicely.

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Son Mr. and Mrs. Rexon Passed Away

Service Was Held Tuesday in
Gordon Memorial Church

Ralph Rexon, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rexon of Redcliff, passed away last week after illness of for some time.

The funeral took place last Tuesday afternoon and service was held in Gordon Memorial Church which was conducted by Rev H. V. Ellison.

As the lad attended school in grade 1 his teacher Miss Cox and the pupils attended the service in a body and gave a wreath of flowers.

The pallbearers who were friends and neighbors of Ralph's were Curries and Robert, Bush, L. and Oswald and Harold ween.

There was a large attendance at the funeral. Deceased leaves 16 parents, two sisters and two brothers and their many friends have great sympathy for the loss.

The St. Ambrose Guild Put on Fine Concert

Was Held in the Parish Hall
Last Friday Evening

The Girls' Guild of St. Ambrose put on a very enjoyable concert in the Parish Hall on Friday evening. Norma Dargatz was Mistress of Ceremonies and carried out the following program in a very creditable manner.

(1) O Canada.

(2) Vocal Solo "There's a Gold Mine in the Sky" Ronnie Lepard.

(3) Musical Monologue "A Good Girl" Velma Osgood.

(4) Novelty Quartettes "Can't Stop me from Dreaming" and "Say Never Again".

May Martin, Florence Bailey, Melba Shaw and Zelda McKay.

(5) Travelling Song "Fishes in the Ocean and the Sea" B. Shaw.

(6) Recitation Alice Shimmin.

(7) Vocal Duo: Joanne Balmer and Doreen Cooke.

(8) Picture Song, "Little Boy Blue" May Martin accompanied by Melba Shaw, Florence Bailey and Zelda McKay.

(9) Comedy Pictures (1) "In Deep" (2) "Hold that Beer".

God Save The King.

The Girls' Guild wishes to thank all those other than the members of the Guild who so generously rendered their service.

Federal Government Seed for Drouth Area

Guarantees Alberta's Credit up
to \$1,900,000

With the best spring weather a year in the prairies, Hon. Charles Dunning, minister of finance, introduced in the house of commons Friday a government bill to provide seed for the lands.

Under the bill the Dominion will guarantee Alberta's credit up to \$1,900,000 and Saskatchewan's to \$14,500,000. Manitoba will be able to finance its own seed grain this spring.

The seed will be distributed under provincial regulations.

Much Farmers' Loss From The Three Days Blizzard

Many Cattle Horses and Sheep
Have Been Lost

Now that reports are coming from all parts of the South Eastern section of the province there is no doubt that more damage has been done by the blizzard than was expected.

The situation will be serious in the district as reports from all directions are that cattle and sheep losses have been big.

Reports from Vauxhall Bros. Tilley and Saffield by those who have come through that district state they have seen hundreds of cattle dead up against fences, and hundreds of sheep lost.

Reports from farmers north of here who have come to town say cattle have suffered big losses. Several who have come in, state they have seen many dead cattle along the road. One who had passed Redford Bros. ranch gave a report from them that they figured they had lost at least 50 per cent of their cattle, water was a large herd.

In the mild weather James J. J. Bowen, M.L.A. with a big ranch near Aldershot reports he is had hit with loss of cattle and sheep.

Allan Ellis, north of town, has also reported some of his cattle have been lost, and Kitzler and R. N. Rose have lost several horses.

A. W. Pratt who handles the mail from Bingville has had a serious time for the past two weeks in his endeavour to handle the mail and bring food for families and fodder for cattle. On several occasions he has made the grade but many other times has been forced to turn back to town to save his life, as the roads were impassable and the weather was severe.

Although much loss and inconvenience has been result of the blizzard it now looks as though the amount of moisture will make good crops later.

Suffield Farmer Was Found Dead Friday

William Voortman was Looking
For Cattle and Collapsed

As a result of the fierce blizzard last week, Mr. Wm. Voortman 70 years of age was found dead near his farm house north of Suffield. Deceased went out to look for his cattle while the storm was on and followed the fence around but it is expected that his exertion of climbing through high and heavy snow ruptured his heart. His body was not found until Friday.

As no inquest was necessary Dr. J. R. Patterson, coroner, decided his death was due to natural causes.

Deceased was a bachelor and lived alone.

Holy Week Service At Gordon Memorial

Will be Held Every Evening
From Monday Till Friday

Special Holy Week Services will be held in Gordon Memorial Church every evening from Monday till Friday of next week commencing at 8 P. M.

The following quest ministers will be present:

Monday Rev. J. J. Baptist Church Medicine Hat.

Tuesday Rev. Hollingsworth.

Wednesday Major Reder, Salvation Army Med Hat.

Thursday Rev. Lyon New Westminster Med Hat.

Good Friday: 11:15 A. M. Morning Service Rev. Ellison in Charge.

7:30 P. M. Evening Service V. P. U. in charge. Slides "From the Crucible to the Cross."

A man found dead in Shaunavon was decided to be John H. Hand who had been a farmer in Seven Persons.

Report from Gilchrist ranch at Mayberries states that 500 head of their cattle were lost in last weeks blizzard.

Young Men Donate Funds for New Pool

Only Funds Donated Yet And
Thanks To The Lads

Local swimming pool received \$8.00 this week from the "Gypsy Entertainers" who put on a m. 100 F. hall last week for the purpose of securing funds to erect a new swimming pool.

As this is the only funds that have been donated yet for the new swimming pool—from local organizations—it is hoped others may be interested.

The "Gypsy Entertainers" are a number of young lads in town who arranged for the dance and Mr. B. Allison, Secretary-treasurer of the Swimming Pool, wishes to extend hearty thanks to the lads for the donation.

As some men in town are arranging for Swimming Pool lads let all keep in mind the Carnival in Broadway Store on April 22nd.

Alberta's C. C. Government has decided to pay Mr. Unwin his \$2,000 indemnity even if he was in some other building that is a parliament building for several weeks.

A farmers barn near Taber was burned to the ground last Monday night and 112 horses were burned to death. 400 bushels of chop and five tons of alfalfa were also lost.

Relief workers in Calgary have gone on strike against reduction of wages. It is estimated about \$200 are now on strike.

Churches

ST. MARY'S C.B. 7th St.

Commencing next Sunday the service will be held at 9 a.m. The following Sunday at 10 a.m. in future services will be held at these hours on each other week.

ST. AMBROSE CHURCH

Rev. H. S. Hannett, Vicar

GORDON MEMORIAL UNITED CHURCH

Rev. H. V. Ellison, Pastor

10 a.m. Church School

11:15 a.m. morning service

7:30 Evening Service

"The Goal of Human Living"

Continuation of service on "The Sermon on the Mount"

Subject: "The New Morals based on Reverence for Personality."

The Junior Choir in the morning and the Senior Choir in the evening will help with the service.

NOTE The basement and church all winter have been warm and if you care you will be assured of comfort.

ROBERTSON'S Tailor Shop

Next Assiniboia Hotel
Medicine Hat

Pressing
While You Wait

Cleaning and Repairing
Suits

Tailored-to-Measure

Mountains Of Snow in Town Covered Houses

Box Cars at Coal Plant Were
Covered out of Sight

Last week's blizzard which was the most furious one we have ever had, gives some idea of what has resulted in other parts of the south eastern section of the province which has been the worst in the province.

Main streets in town and residential sections have been covered with snow in some parts from 15 to 20 feet high and many coal houses were covered out of sight.

The south end of town appears to have had the highest amounts of snow. At the Brick and Coal Plant three box cars on the siding were covered over.

In sections of Fifth St. several blocks were filled up from side to side with 10 and 12 feet of snow and vacant lots resembled giant mountain districts. Some yards were filled up with snow and lawns resembled the pyramids of Egypt.

Outside the verandah of the Redcliff hotel fifteen or twenty feet of snow piled up and in the verandah another ten feet filled in the whole space from one side to the other.

At Fifth St. were almost out of sight with about ten or twelve feet high.

When the storm was abated Town Council had all unemployed men at work to open up the streets and in many cases had to relief houses so the people could get out.

With mild weather and the possibility of chinooks there is no doubt that there will be floods of water around town and in cellars.

Legislature Plans to
Cut Down Member

Appointment of a committee to study redistribution with a view to cutting down membership from 63 to 58 is provided in notice of motion given by the Alberta legislature Monday by Hon. Gordon Maynard, minister of municipal affairs.

Including reduction of one member for each six members constituency of Edmonton and Calgary, Mr. Maynard's motion proposes the committee make its report at the next regular session of the legislature in 1939.

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3rd St. Medicine Hat



The marriage ceremony between Lord Alton and Miss Anna Bowen, was a quiet affair at the residence of the bride's parents, the Westminsters. Above is a picture of the happy couple at a recent social function.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Japan and the United States are reported to have reached an amiable solution over Japanese fishing in Alaskan waters.

Premier Angus Macdonald announced in the Nova Scotia legislature a net revenue surplus of \$62,280 for the fiscal year ended Nov. 30, 1937.

Quebec province will be given a new treaty with the construction of Beauport, Que., within the next few months of a \$500,000 sulphur plant, the mines department announced.

The United States and Czechoslovakia signed a trade agreement, the 17th U.S. has concluded. The pact calls for tariff reductions by both countries on scores of products.

Air France, the French national air line, plans to use a seaplane and giant landplane for experimental flights across the North Atlantic starting in June.

Frederic Stuchlik, 50, Liberal House of Commons member for Queen's P.E.I., died in hospital of a heart attack. The Queen's member was elected to the house in the general election of 1935.

Louise A. Johnson, U.S. assistant secretary of war, said in an interview the United States army has perfected an automatic landing device which eliminates the danger of fog at airports.

Paul Vincent Carroll, a \$37,500-a-week school teacher in the slums of Chicago, arrived in New York to see the Broadway stage hit which nets him \$800 a week after tax deduction.

Col. O. M. Biggar, Ottawa lawyer, has been appointed to draft legislation to stiffen the Election Act against electoral corruption. It was reported, Col. Biggar was former chief electoral officer for the Dominion.

The Greatest Gift

In Enabling Every Person To Do Something For Himself

No man, no honest man, wants coddling. A fair challenge to help himself is all he asks. If blind or deaf or crippled, still for himself he beaks—no one. The greatest gift one person can give another, Helen Keller has said over and over, is not to do something for him, but to enable him to do something for himself.

A case in point is Miss Keller herself, to men everywhere the symbol of a fruitful life grown from a blighted blossom... through patient nurture by a friend. March 3, the 51st anniversary of Miss Keller's first meeting with her teacher, was observed by National Helen Keller Day, in aid of the blind. Civil and service club groups, which is a most fruitful cause, may wish to remember this word from her: "The heaviest burden on the blind is not blindness, but idleness."—*National Magazine.*

Had Wrong Idea

Farmer Did Not Quite Understand Remarks Of Minister

The minister was extremely enthusiastic about foreign missions, and one of his first self-appointed tasks upon coming to the parish was to call upon all of his neighbors who he knew to have money, and collect their support.

"I'm sorry," replied one wealthy farmer, "that it's no use asking me. I don't approve of foreign missions."

"But surely," the minister persisted, "you know that as com-mended to feed the hungry?"

"That may be," came the grim reply, "but surely we can feed 'em on something cheaper than mission-aries."

Croydon airport is the sixth largest airport in the United Kingdom, having more passengers than either Liverpool or London.

FIN FLON

"The Story of Its Finding and Position To-day"

By FRANK KUBIN

While at Island Falls I found that Jeff Hime-Fly was coming back to go up to Rocky Falls on Reindeer Lake, another 60 miles away, so I went there, as men and supplies were being down from Island Falls to get crubbing along dam's trail, rearing the water from Reindeer Lake (which is a mere 375 miles long, 40 miles wide, but averaging five miles, and in some places 800 feet deep and an area of 2,500 square miles) from rushing down Reindeer River into the Churchill and thus to the power plant at Island Falls.

About 40 men were on the job, just starting. They and their machinery and supplies had all been flown in and the engineer in charge was O. L. Flanagan of Toronto for the Fraser River Project.

Here I met the famous flycatcher of the early days, Dr. Hime-Fly, who now lives in Island Falls. He is a family life in charge of cruising and is a magnificent man of 200 odd pounds and about six feet tall.

Six miles from Rocky Falls there's a "Hollow Bay" which is on an island, and far trading is carried on with the Indians.

I was told there's a flyer named Turnbull from Fin Flon, who is coming to the early days. He takes out whitetail deer to 15 pounds, and he's got a family life in charge of cruising and is a magnificent man of 200 odd pounds and about six feet tall.

Six miles from Rocky Falls there's a "Hollow Bay" which is on an island, and far trading is carried on with the Indians.

I asked the cook because he told me that water he got for coffee and wash up. This is literally true. He says the foot reaches it in his supply tent, and they're all of the best.

Clark's Park and Beans
Hime-Fly's Pickles
Campbell's Tomatoes, Vegetable
Shannon's Pure Pork Sausage
Grade A Eggs
Luby's Dill Pickles (Wp.)
Raymond's Mixed Pickles (Wp.)
Bunn's Ketchup
Seymour's Creamy Butter
Luby's Coffee
Luby's Tea

Pacific Petroleum Irrigated Milk
Nash's Pickles
Dr. Jackson's Roman Meal
Shred Wheat
Grain Nuts
Kosher's Corn Flakes
Mellin's Food
Hime-Fly's Pickles
Campbell's Tomatoes, Vegetable
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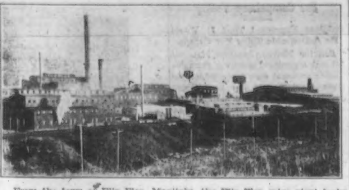
Gardening

Most people realize that all vegetables deteriorate in storage. The quality of the vegetables that come from the garden is better because they are not ripe. To get this quality in all vegetables, it is best to have a garden that is not too big. The garden should be a few feet of lettuce and a row or two of spinach, corn, beans and practically everything else coming on rather than the whole garden maturing at one time.

There is nothing to stop fresh peas, tender and juicy, when taken right out of the garden and put in the pot, but if the same peas are left on the vines for three or four days, they are ready, the best flavour has gone.

To have a succession of really tender vegetables, one is advised to make at least three sowings from the seed packet. If the first sowing is made ten days to two weeks, and to still have a few more sowing, using early, medium and late varieties. For instance, by using tall lettuce for the early sowing, one can have a good crop of lettuce in the Fall, and can have the very best lettuce in the fresh, tender supply of this salad material to enjoy all season.

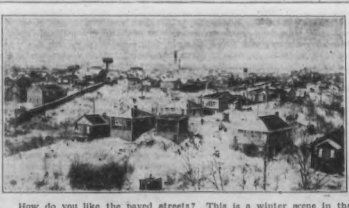
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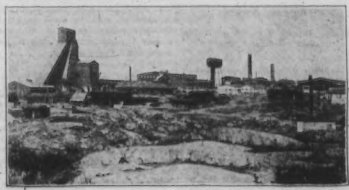
From the town of Fin Flon, Manitoba, the Fin Flon mine plant looks like this in 1937.



Fin Flon mine plant and town taken from an airplane, 1937. Compare this with original camp views.



How do you like the paved streets? This is a winter scene in the Callahan Hill section of Fin Flon, Manitoba.



Another view of the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Co., Ltd. plant at Fin Flon mine in Manitoba.

Fogs Are Expensive

Estimate Of Annual Cost To London

From the fact that fog is a nuisance, it is not surprising that it is a costly one. Fogs over London have always had a romantic implication for fiction purposes, but never for the everyday life of Londoners. The dark pall which falls over the city has been a source to be borne patiently. Although bringing untold losses in time and money, and often completely upsetting winter social life, the fog was accepted as unavoidable.

Like Mark Twain's comment on the general subject of weather, much has been said about it, but little done. Now, at last, it appears that the British have had enough! The Ministry of Health is planning a determined campaign to eliminate fog by attacking its chief cause—smoke. A conference of local authorities has been called and the laws affecting smoke abatement are to be tightened. During the last 29 years methods of combustion have made the London atmosphere considerably cleaner. The modern "gas" engine, although lighter in still sufficiently skin to that gray-brown blanket which formerly covered the city to affect respiration. And one estimate of the annual cost of fog to the nation's industry places the figure at \$200,000,000.

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In England, panhandlers are decreasing in number. There now are less than 1,000 in the country, as compared to 3,485 in 1931.

A fine crop of flax has been grown in a new station, without soil, at North Dakota Agricultural College.

Germans shipped over 6,000 tons of medicinal products to other countries last year.

Has Had Colorful Life

Ex-Governor Of Bengal Is Lured By Everyone

Sir John Anderson, ex-governor of Bengal from which he recently returned to England, is an "oddsmaker." Terrorists in Ireland and in India have done their best to rattle him—he's been called the "most shot at man in the world." He still has a numerous following. When he was in the Mahatma approved of Sir John's firm, though kind, restoration of order in Bengal even, Gandhi himself "felt" for Sir John. And one of the retiring Governor's last good-bye visits was to Gandhi, sitting cross-legged in his favorite place, under the banyan tree (largest in the world) at Darapur, Sir John is "the kind of man to whom universal things happen. He was invited by the Maharajah of Bhutan into his State. Less than 40 white men have ever been allowed there. Getting into Tibet is a piece compared with getting into Bhutan. Sir John's Vaughan, K.C., doesn't fancy trippers, says the Daily Sketch. Sir John and his suite had all sorts of adventures... and one terrible experience. As presents for Bhutan's greatest chieftain (under the Maharajah), Gandhi himself brought a small camera and a small pair of field glasses—fascinating novelties in his favorite place, under the banyan tree. Unfortunately the arrival of Sir John and suite was watched by the Paro Penit from the largest and most expensive field-glasses on the market. Later he photographed his guests with a superb camera.

Are Well Trained

London policemen are trained in the work of firemen so that they may be able to face the task of rescuing persons from burning buildings. They also have a practical knowledge of first aid, car driving, swimming, and life saving.

The University of California has a solid border of sugar pine, 5 1/2 feet wide, 18 feet long, and 8 inches thick. It was cut as a table top, but is now preserved as a curiosity.

Health

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TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

by DR. J. W. S. McCULLOUGH

Article No. 34

CANCER AND RACE

Professor Walter Fischer, pathological anatomist in the University of Rostock, Germany, has recently reported the results of his investigation of cancer and race. This report shows that the various European races present no manifest differences with regard to the total of cancer as judged by the mortality.

The Jewish population within the large cities of Europe shows the same incidence of cancer, and only occasionally difference in respect to localization.

In the United States the incidence of cancer is the same among all whites, while or black, whereas the disease is 40% less frequent among male negroes than among white men. Among Japanese and apparently among Chinese, cancer is about as prevalent as it is among Europeans.

Manifest differences in the most common seats of cancer exist among the yellow races, the Malays and the negroes. In the Malay race, the yellow race primary cancer of the liver (with cirrhosis) is most frequently encountered. In the negro race, it is extremely infrequent among Malays. Sarcoma are commoner among the Chinese than are among the whites. Fischer believes that the differences observed in the incidence and location of cancer are to be attributed to environmental influences and not to inherited factors.

Reti-nut chews are very prone to have much cancer. They are the same thing in people living as close in each other as the Dutch and the English. Breast and uterine cancer is twice as frequent among Englishmen as among the Dutch women of Holland. But when the total mortality from the malignancy is counted it will be found that this is about the same for each country.

Next article—Cancer from Dyes.

A Good Markman

Sgt. Ford of Edmonton Wins Shield For Making Perfect Score

Dominion Marksmen Association officials announced Sgt. Andy Ford of "B" division of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Edmonton has won the coveted expert shield with a perfect score of 6,000 out of a possible 6,000 points with a 22 sporting rifle.

Burgess, Ford, former official bullet-buster for western detachments of the R.C.M.P., fired 200 consecutive bullet-eyes from his position on a 50-yard range, then repeated his perfect score from sitting and prone positions. Ford is a former winner of the individual high score trophy in the Dominion Marksmen R.C.M.P. revolver competition.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's "Topics of Vital Interest" may secure same by writing to: The Health League of Canada, 100 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

A New Mining Town

Population In Zeballos Area On Pacific Coast Is Growing
British Columbia's newest gold-mining "boom" town is rising today out of the rocky terrain of Vancouver Island's west coast.
A cluster of frame buildings already has been set up along the town's only street, now knee-deep in mud. Beyond this tented and shanty dot the hills, housing 375 men and six women who come to stake gold claims or work on mining developments.

Three restaurants and a 16-room hotel have been equipped to take care of the influx of prospectors and job-hunters, arriving on ships that call three times a month to establish the only contact with the outside world.

Two more hotels are under construction. A beer-parlor license has been granted for the rising settlement. A post office and a mining recorder's office have been established since the gold hunters started arriving in a procession that started in 1925 and gained momentum during the last few months.

As yet there is no church, no dance hall.
In a radius of 15 miles over hills six feet deep with snow, between 600 and 1,200 claims have been staked. Ten major developments are being worked.

The steamer Maquina has been mining from 30 to 45 tons of ore in its three-monthly calls. The ship can approach only within a quarter of a mile of shore. There passengers of ore and freight are transferred to a scow which brings them within a few feet of land. Passengers are carried from scow by men who wade or swim shore in hip-length rubber boots.

Mining properties are mostly along the Zeballos river which comes from the Zeballos area, an inlet halfway up the island's west coast. Gold values have been high, but the government has been inspecting samples have been guarded.

Yields From Barley

The Production of Barley In Arid Regions Of The Prairie Provinces

Barley production in the more arid regions of the Prairie Provinces is extremely limited because the poor yields often obtained, even in fairly normal seasons, have discouraged production. These poor results can frequently be ascribed to the sowing of unsuitable variety, late in the season, on storable land. When these conditions are rectified, good results are usually obtained.

Tred, Hanchen, and Regal are the most suitable varieties for the dry area. Tred is a rough-necked, six-rowed, high yielding variety, while Hanchen is a rough-necked, two-rowed variety that yields well as well as Tred. Regal is a smooth-necked, six-rowed type that is somewhat inferior in yield to the other two above varieties. Despite its lower yield, this variety is preferred by many because of the low straw that may be fed without any danger of the awns lodging in the eyes, mouth, or throats of the live stock. Newell, Rex and Ben Barge are newer, smooth-necked varieties that show considerable promise, and one of these may replace Regal in the near future.

The variety chosen should be sown early in the spring so that it will be pretty well matured before the extremely hot weather of mid-summer occurs. Even with this precaution, the crop will fail in a great many years unless it is seeded on summer-fallow.

It should be clearly recognized that the climate of this area is unsuitable for the production of malting barley, and consequently the grower cannot expect to obtain malting grades if he wishes to sell his crop. It is not suggested, however, that barley be grown as a cash crop but rather that it be grown on a small acreage to augment the farm feed supply.

An Unusual Honor

The Governor-General of Canada, Lord Tweedsmuir, has already had a National Park named after him. Now comes a minor but still an unusual honor. A permanent camp for Boy Scouts in the Maritime Provinces has been established on Prince Edward Island, and with his permission it has been named "Camp Borden". The camp site is a gift of the Lieutenant-Governor to the movement.

Employer: "Yes, I advertised for a strong boy. Do you think you will suit?"
Applicant: "Well, I've just finished harvesting three other applicants out in the pangs."

No. 30 Downing street, where the British Premier lives, is a modest shade of 64 rooms.

For Compulsory Voting

Opponents Represented That It Would Be A Desirable Thing For Canada
Senator Norman Lambert, National Liberal organizer, speaking from personal experience with elections, recently said that he believed compulsory voting had become desirable for Canada. In Nova Scotia, he said, the Conservative newspaper, the Halifax Herald, said that compulsory voting was vital for Canada. The Herald, like Senator Lambert, was preaching more honest elections.

But no law or system that ever has been ever quite prevailed completely against human weakness or folly, and none probably ever will. Yet it may be, regarding the matter from a purely practical standpoint, and not expecting too much from it, that compulsory voting would be good for our democracy.

One of the weaknesses of democracy is in the failure of so many citizens to take anything like an active part in elections, or even to vote. Nor are these citizens of a class whose votes would matter little, anyway. Too often, on the contrary, they comprise the people known in the United States as the "swing vote," business and professional men who, for some reason, never vote to themselves, but shift about from one party to the other. Every-vigilant criticism of politicians.

It might be a gain if citizens of this class were compelled to vote something of what political issues are about, or at least capable of being so compelled. In the vote. The very act of their voting in itself bestir their interest in political affairs, this in itself being a gain. There is something about the vote. Every election parties complain of the heavy cost of "getting out the vote." Under a compulsory voting system this difficulty, and its cost, would be removed, necessitating less heavy demands by parties for campaign contributions.

Australia has had compulsory voting for many years. It has been successful. In the last Australian federal election over 95 per cent. of the electors registered their vote—Ottawa.

An Easy Method

Health Officer Tells How Anyone Can Pasteurize Milk

City folk, especially with children, who spend holidays in cottages or camps need not be alarmed about being unable to purchase pasteurized milk in the form of drinks at home. There is a safe, easy way to pasteurize summer milk right in your cottage kitchen, or even at the backdoor of the trailer.
The recipe is offered by no less an authority than Dr. E. M. McKillop, Deputy Minister of Health for Ontario, who told a Toronto reporter: "I use this method at my summer cottage every year."
"Using an ordinary double-boiler, of any size, merely heat the quantity of milk desired to a minimum of 145 degrees Fahrenheit," the home-pasteurization recipe reads. "Hold the mixture at this temperature for 30 minutes. Cool, and use."

This is known as the low-temperature method. The advantage of the latter is that the flavor of the milk as required heat is obtained, 145 degrees, which is considerably less than boiling point, the boiler may be placed over the back of the stove and the hot water will hold the milk's temperature to the required point for the necessary half-hour.

The advantage of this method over the alternative home-pasteurization recipe, known as the high-temperature method, is that there is no loss in the taste of the milk. In the second recipe the milk is brought to the boiling point, 212 degrees. It then may be cooled and used. This is a safe method of pasteurization for families lacking a thermometer, but the disadvantage is that the milk will have a slight flavor of being "cooked."

Time Is Vital Element

William S. Morrison, Scottish member of the British government, said, considerable when he pointed out in parliament that: "If constitution falls, our people, by then returned, will be in a position to make it difficult and dangerous for any dictator to attack us." In the growingly critical situation in Europe, time is the vital element.

Made A Good Guess

Jonathan Swift not only mentioned the two moons of Mars long before they were discovered, but said, "The innermost is distant from the centre of the primary planet exactly three times of its diameter, and the outermost five," which was surprisingly accurate.

The trouble is those who are wrong just the same. They are right just as much as we are.

MANITOBA AGAIN WINS COVERTED CURLING TROPHY



Ship Ab Gowank and his risk of crack curlers from Glanboro, Manitoba, captured the MacDonald's Brier Tackard by scoring nine straight victories over teams representing the other provinces of the Dominion. This is the eighth time in twelve years that the Tackard has travelled to Manitoba, and the picture above shows the team which carried the province to victory this year. Skip Gowank, E. R. McKnight (lead), W. D. McKnight (second), and E. C. Cartmel (third).

Egg-Grading In Canada

Great Change Seen In Product During Recent Years
Canadian, on the average, each eat about 23 dozen eggs per year. This consumption is among the highest of the countries of the world. One reason for this undoubtedly is that Canadian eggs are carefully graded according to Dominion Government regulations and the merchandising of eggs is controlled and supervised from producer to consumer.

The eggs available in the retail stores of Canada to-day are of a different product from those that were marketed only a few years ago. There is something about the egg sale to 20 years ago. Improved production methods, better handling and quicker marketing all have been instrumental in bringing about this improvement. Of greatest significance, however, has been a system of egg grading which for 15 years has required that the purchase and sale of all eggs in Canada be conducted on a basis of quality grade.

All eggs sold in Canadian retail stores are required to be graded and identified with the grade name. There are three main quality grades—Grade A, Grade B, Grade C. Grade A eggs are sold in three weights, Grade A Large, Grade A Medium, Grade A Pullet. The quality is the same in all three weights.

Value Of Farm Lands

Survey Shows Average In Canada Is \$24 An Acre

For the third successive year average values of occupied farm lands in Canada was \$24 an acre, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported in its 1937 survey.

The average value includes improved and unimproved land, together with dwelling houses, barns, and all other farm buildings. Average land value in Canada have been declining since 1928, when they were \$28 an acre. Low point of \$23 an acre was reached in 1934 and an increase to \$24 an acre took place in 1935. Since 1934 they have remained at that level.

Increases in average per-acre land values in 1937 were reported in Prince Edward Island, Quebec, Ontario, and Manitoba, but these were offset by decreases in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and British Columbia. Saskatchewan and Alberta values remained unchanged.

Has Particular Job

English Unit Has To Find Diet For Rare Birds
Dark, 21-year-old Delys Webb is leaving London for the wilds for the second time within a year. It was last July that she returned from her 8,000-mile trek through uncharted country in West Africa. On that trip she went down with malaria and lay between life and death for weeks. Now she is accompanying her uncle on a six-month exploration of the Andes, seeking rare birds. Her particular job is to find a diet for new specimens which will keep them alive in captivity. She has to solve such problems as finding suitable alternative diet for birds which have been accustomed to feeding only on insects from certain tropical forests. She has to ring the changes on a menu of dried fish, snail eggs, honey, milled milk and worms, until she also discovers the correct food. Some of the specimens they hope to capture on this expedition make their homes in the thirteen thousand feet up in the Andes immediately below the snow line. They have the most marvellous and unusual plumage. Some have popper-puff feathers in brilliant colors, others showing iridescent like a peacock. The biggest problem of the expedition is to carry sufficient equipment to meet the extremes of climate which they will be among the birds.

Canada Supplies Lined
Canada and India are the two principal producers of lined in the British Empire. Lined oil, owing to its drying properties, is used mainly in the manufacture of paint, varnishes, and printing ink, and only to a limited extent for edible purposes and for making soap. Lined oil, on the other hand, is readily interchangeable with other oils for feeding live stock.

From the wilds of Missouri comes the year's best definition of fate: Making your company feed at home when you wish they were.

Go Maaka for babies and rubber goods for little are among the new products being manufactured abroad.

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Victorian Order Of Nurses

Seven New Centres Opened In Canada Since Last July

Miss Elizabeth Smalls, superintendent of the Victorian Order of Nurses in Canada, expressed enthusiasm at progress in the order as observed during a Western tour. Seven new centres serving 60,000 more people than formerly, have been opened in Canada since July, she said. Three new centres in Eastern Canada may be added soon to the 25 centres now in operation. Of these centres which serve 750,000 persons, only one small locality showed a deficit in operating expenses in its annual report. Three hundred and forty nurses, chosen for their personality, good health and love of the work, do much to further the advancement of this order. Summoned all to share and to all parts of the city and country, these nurses are good characters and are handy with a shovel, a necessary part of their equipment in the winter, said Miss Smalls.

Prefers Life On Prairies

Englishman Who Went Home Decided To Like Canada Best

Arthur Bean brought his family six thousand miles from Alberta to Middleborough, found it was too cold—and the people too cold—so now he's taking them back again. He used to live in Edmonton, near Middleborough, but 12 years ago he came to Alberta. His wife and seven-year-old daughter Ma went with him. A short time after they returned to England, hoping to settle down. But they found all their old friends had grown up. Did not know them. They could not get a house to suit either. And the cold! "It colder in a Yorkshire farmhouse than in my old home in Great Prairie at 40 below," says Mr. Bean. "So with Mrs. Bean and 19-year-old Ma he sailed for the West. Mr. Bean is now bound from Liverpool for winters in Alberta. London Daily Express.

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Budgeting The Farm Income

Careful Calculation May Save Worry

In The Future

A budget is a plan of expenditure. To plan to advantage one must have some idea what he will have to spend. In Western grain farmer's income is an uncertain quantity but the greater the hazard the louder the call for cautious planning.

Even with a fairly good budgeting is still a problem for one never knows what unexpected expenses may crop up. This uncertainty, like the other, emphasizes the need for careful calculation. Headaches through planning save headaches afterwards.

It is so easy when thinking loosely in round numbers to exaggerate incomes and to underestimate outgo. With a pad and pencil one gets down to brass tacks.

It helps greatly in budgeting to have several years' accounts as a guide. From these one may gauge his average and his probable outgo. His highest annual outlay for such items as labour, repairs, blacksmith, and other indispensable things, insurance and the like. With these as a basis, or without them if none are available, suppose we proceed as follows:

List the assured items of income, and, and total these. Below, list the probable items of income as from wheat, oats, barley, corn, butter, eggs and vegetables. Total these. Now add up the totals and see what they come to, never forgetting that disappointments may occur.

On the same sheet, list the fairly definite items of outgo, such as taxes, interest, insurance premiums, blacksmith bills, repairs, groceries and other necessities. It is proposed to make these, and regard the total will. Below, itemize the avoidable outgo, such as a new pump, buying in kind that the worst may come to the worst, and weighing what may happen if it does. Consider not merely what funds may be available but when they are likely to come in. Then make a close study of the great scheme of doing wisely.

House Will Be Repaired

Boyhood Home Of King George V. To Be Rebuilt

Chicklaw House, boyhood home of King George V, is to undergo extensive renovation and repairs. The house and grounds will be restored as the direct outcome of representations made by the late Queen Mary herself, who visited it recently unexpectedly, says the London Daily Sketch. She had been invited to the house by the late Queen Mary herself, who visited it recently unexpectedly, says the London Daily Sketch. She had been invited to the house by the late Queen Mary herself, who visited it recently unexpectedly, says the London Daily Sketch.

The Council, plans are now complete for setting matters right. Chicklaw House and its 66 acres of grounds were purchased by public subscription in 1902. The late Queen Mary, nine years ago at a cost of £80,000. It is now a public park. The grounds are filled with memories of the British Royal Family. In the garden few small plots of ground are still carefully tended. On such is the name of its original cultivator—Clarence (the Duke of Clarence), "George", "Leoline", "Victoria" and "Edward". King George V. spent many of his happiest boyhood years at Chicklaw House when King Edward and Queen Alexandra occupied it as Prince and Princess of Wales. It was originally built for the Duke of Burlington in 1780. It was bought by the late Queen Victoria, two years of Russia, the King of Prussia, Pope and the Pope, the ports, Sir Walter Scott and Garibaldi.

A Chinese View

China cannot be considered defeated until it has lost up to 100,000,000 men. General Pan Chang-hai declared after terming the 500,000 casualties suffered to date "comparatively insignificant." The victorious commander of the Chinese forces admitted his armies are losing three men for every Japanese. At that rate, he added, however, they will take 100,000,000 Chinese to wipe out Japan's entire male population.

Wage Dividends

Approximately 4,000 employees of Imperial Tobacco Company of Canada Ltd. in Ontario and Quebec will share \$250,000 in a 5 per cent "wage dividend" on their wage rates for 1937, it was announced. It will be the third year the company has sent the bonus to its employees, mostly in Montreal.

